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## Declaration and Power of Attorney

As the below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name.

I believe I am the original, first and sole and or joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention, design or discovery entitled "A BIPOLAR JUNCTION TRANSISTOR HAVING A HIGH GERMANIUM CONCENTRATION IN A SILICON GERMANIUM LAYER AND A METHOD FOR FORMING THE BIPOLAR JUNCTION TRANSISTOR", the specification of which is attached hereto.

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understood the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by an amendment, if any, specifically referred to in this oath or declaration.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the Office all information known to me to be material to the patentability of this application as defined by Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations § 1.56.

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code § 119 of any foreign application(s) for the patent of inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

NUMBER:	COUNTRY	DATE FILED	PRIORITY CLAIMED
None			

DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code § 120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application(s) in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code § 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations § 1.56 which became available between the filing date of the prior application(s) and the national or PCT international filing date of this application.

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I hereby appoint the registered practitioners associated with Customer Number 47396 to prosecute said application, to make alterations and amendments therein, to receive the patent, and to transact all business in the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

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